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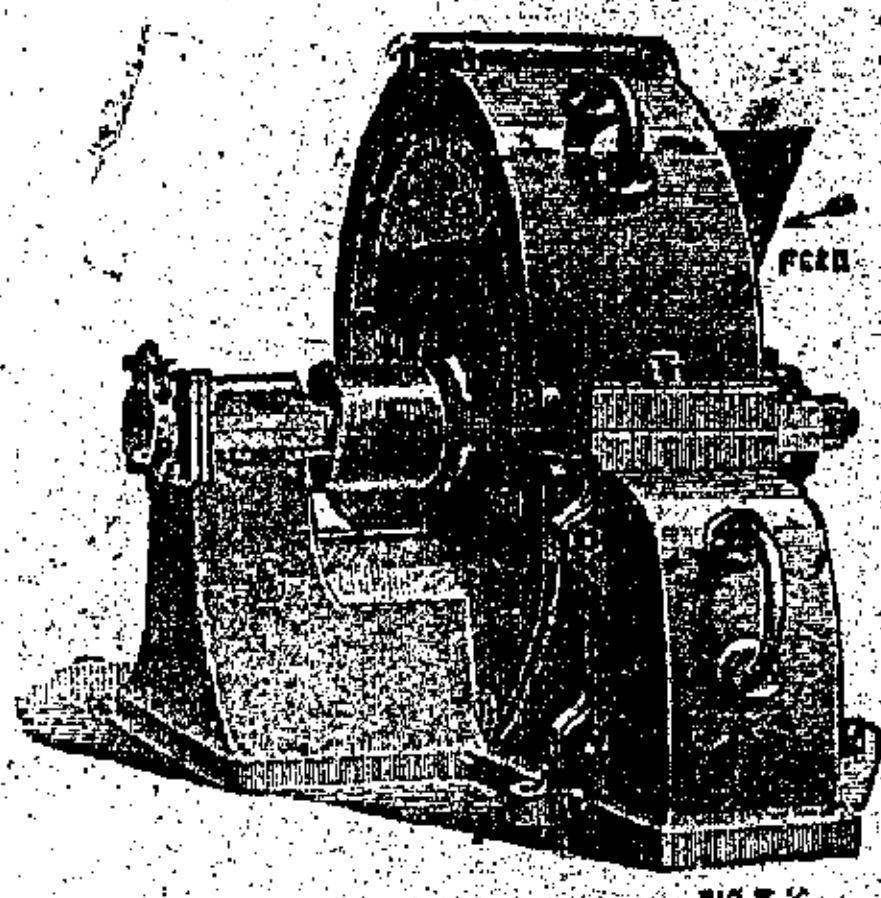
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Foochow, 20th April, 1901. 882

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NOS. 2, 3 and 5, ORMSBY TERRACE,  
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Apply to  
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Hongkong, April 3, 1901. 641

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POSSESSION April 1st.  
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Hongkong, March 6, 1901. 610

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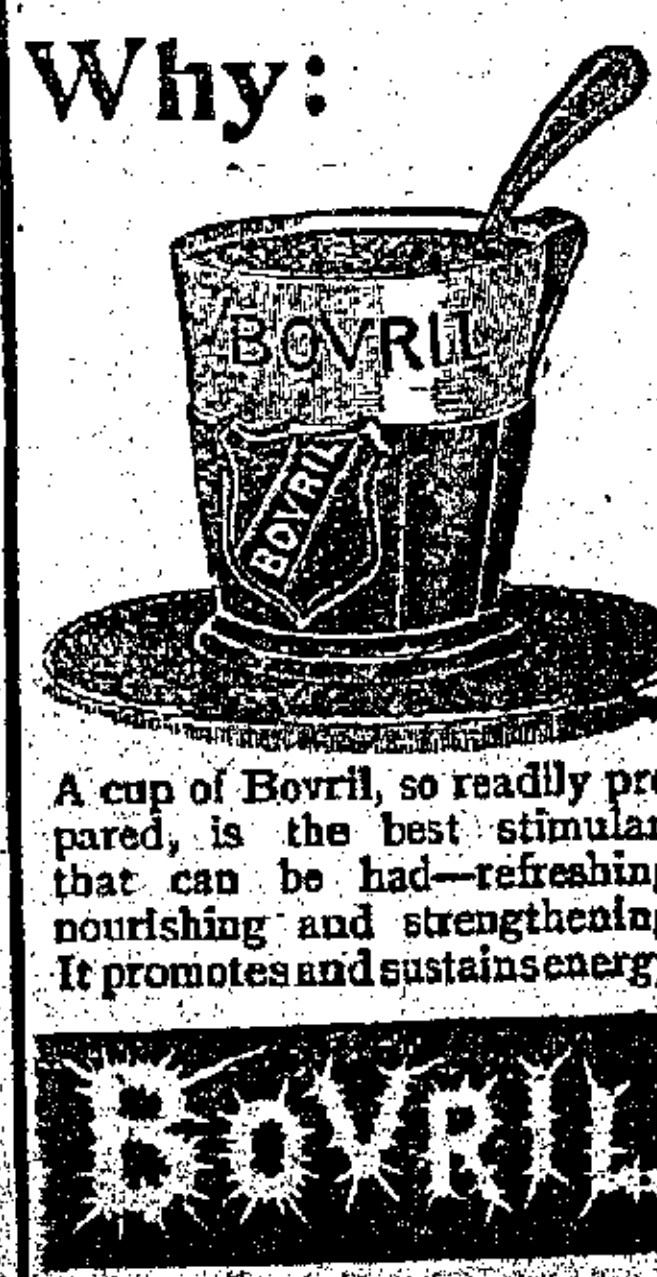
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Hongkong, May 23, 1900. 1297

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

AN INTERIM BONUS of Twenty  
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for the year 1900, has been declared.  
WARRANTS will be issued on the 1st  
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By Order of the Board,  
W. J. SAUNDERS,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, April 19, 1901. 838

Business Notices.

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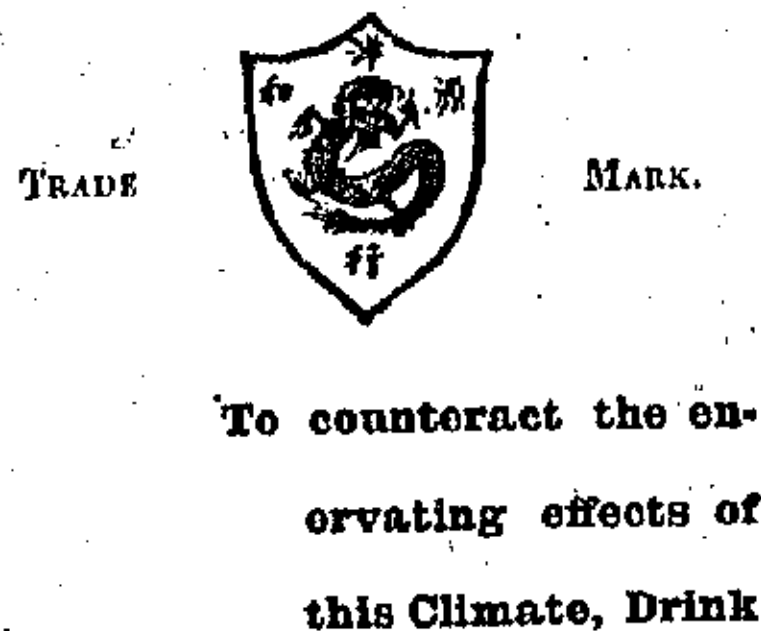
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## MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

Meeting.  
3 p.m. - Meeting of Shareholders of the  
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Ltd., at No. 5, Queen's Road Central.  
Amusements.  
9 p.m. - Performance by the Brough  
Comedy Co., in the City Hall.

## General Memoranda.

Friday, May 3 -  
Goods per *Nippon* undelivered after this  
date, subject to rent.  
Sunday, April 5 -  
Goods per *Tientsin* not cleared at 4  
p.m. subject to rent.

## Opium Quotations.

HONGKONG, May 1, 1901.  
New Patna, cash, ..... 9324  
Old Patna, cash, ..... 9724  
New Bonares, cash, ..... 9624  
Old Bonares, cash, ..... 9624  
New Malwa, credit, ..... 820  
Allowance, Tels., ..... 830/840  
Last Year, ..... 4/12  
Old Malwa credit, ..... 850/860  
Allowance, Tels., ..... 4/12  
Persian, Oily, cash, .....  
Allowance, Tels., .....  
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## MARRIAGE.

On the 20th April, at H.B.M. Consulate  
General, Shanghai, by Byron Brennan,  
Esquire, C.M.G., His Majesty's Consul-  
General, and at Holy Trinity Cathedral,  
by the Reverend H. O. Hodges, M.A.,  
HAROLD FREDERICK KING, of H.B.M.  
Consular Service in China, to ALICE  
GERTRUDE, daughter of the late Frederick  
Tattersall, of Bedford.

## DEATHS.

At Ningpo, on the 20th April, suddenly,  
Baron P. G. von Mollendorff, Commis-  
sioner of Customs.  
On the 30th April, at the Government  
Civil Hospital, MAURICE CHILTON COLE  
Lewis, late of Fresno, California, third  
surviving son of the late Captain John C.  
A. Lewis, of Teddington, Middlesex.

The publication of this issue commenced  
at 5.35 p.m.

## The China Mail.

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, 1901.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

## Notes by the Way.

A description of the new Pacific Mail  
liner *Korea* will be found on Page 5.

James Stephens, the Fenian leader,  
died at Blackrock, Dublin, on 29th March.

The Chinese have been very active in  
cutting the telegraph near Peking to steal  
the wire.

It is said that a sum of ten million  
taels belonging to the Empress Dowager is  
still safe in the Palace.

Messrs David Sassoon and Co. have  
given £105 to the fund for the national  
memorial to Queen Victoria.

To-day, at the Magistracy, a Chinaman  
was fined \$25 for selling Macao lottery  
tickets in the Colony. The fine was paid.

Capt. G. W. D. B. Lloyd, of the  
Royal Welsh Fusiliers, has been seconded  
for service with Mounted Infantry in South  
Africa.

The Glasgow Exhibition will be opened  
to-morrow by the Duke of Fife, who  
will be accompanied by H.R.H. Princess  
Louise, Duchess of Fife.

H.M.S. *Talbot* was commissioned at  
Devonport on the 10th April, to relieve  
*Bonaventure* on this station. Carpenter  
W. H. Anthony is appointed to the *Talbot*.

Last night's edition of the *China Mail*  
having been sold out, we now intimate that  
the next issue of the *Overland China Mail*  
will contain the narratives of *Sobraon* pas-  
sengers.

Mr H. A. M. Bismark, of the I. M.  
Customs, was married at Yokohama on the  
13th April, to Miss E. C. Bishop, daughter  
of Captain Bishop, formerly of the P. & O.  
Co.

Cork intends to follow Glasgow with  
an Industrial Exhibition in 1902. Lord  
Cadogan has signified his intention of sub-  
scribing £250 towards the fund, which has  
already reached £5,000.

Essays in Erse will be interested to  
hear that a prize of £50 for the best essay  
in that ancient language is offered by the  
Irish Literary Society, through the gener-  
osity of Sir Thomas Lipton, who is one of  
the oldest members.

It appears that when the captain and  
crew abandoned the steamer *Haiman*, a  
crowd of fishermen and others rushed on  
board to save what they could. Suddenly  
the steamer slipped off the rock into deep  
water, and the would-be salvors nearly all  
went down with her.

Cheltenham College has again won the  
shield for public school gymnastics, de-  
feating Dulwich College by 1901 points to  
150. St. Paul's School was third with  
1874, Rugby fourth with 1844, Lancing  
1823, Wellington 181, Epsom 1784. The  
highest individual scores, carrying special  
awards, were made by A. D. Stoop  
(Rugby), R. R. Ferrey (Dulwich) and R.  
L. Haines (Cheltenham).

Plague and Smallpox.  
Fourteen cases of plague were reported  
during the past twenty-four hours and  
fifteen deaths - bringing the year's aggregate  
to 230 deaths. Another case of smallpox  
was reported, the patient being a European.

## Irishman sent to Gaol.

To-day, an Irishman named George  
Mason, residing at the Star Coffee House,  
was charged, at the Magistracy, with the  
larceny of a jacket and a silver cigarette  
case, the property of Surgeon John Lee  
Carroll. He pleaded not guilty, but was  
convicted on evidence and sent to prison  
for a month with hard labour.

## Armed Robbery.

Lance Sergeant Ritchie (31) has arrested  
three men on a charge of armed robbery.  
It appears that three men armed with re-  
volvers entered a house near Saikung, on  
the 25th ult., and carried off jewellery and  
clothing of the value of \$123. The pris-  
oners were brought before Mr Hazeldan  
to-day and remanded. One of them is  
further charged with returning from  
banishment.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

## Compulsory Athletics.

A Bill making the physical education  
of children compulsory will shortly be  
introduced in Parliament by Mr Priestley,  
M.P., the famous cricketer and athlete.  
The Bill is initiated by Mr Sandow. He  
has drawn up a single chart of physical  
culture, which he contends is as essential  
to the full education of young England as  
is the blackboard.

## Chinaman Drowned.

As the s.s. *Hosana* was on her way to  
Canton on Monday, a Chinese passenger  
either fell overboard or jumped overboard  
- which, it is difficult to say, as, although  
every effort was made by stopping the  
steamer and sending out a boat, no traces  
of the man could be found. This delay  
caused the *Hosana* to arrive in Canton  
very much after her usual time.

## Ware Microbes!

In the course of evidence in a recent  
case at Yarmouth, - a prosecution for ex-  
posing insanitary shellfish for sale - Dr  
Pukes, of Guy's Hospital, stated that one  
mussel contained no fewer than three  
millions of harmful bacteria, while the  
water contained in the shell was certified to  
hold more than 800,000 bacteria of the  
colon bacilli type, the forerunner of  
typhoid.

## Seamens' Mission.

A concert will be given to-night in  
Hon. C. P. Chater's bungalow, at Kowloon,  
in aid of the local branch of the Mission to  
Seamen. The concert has been organized  
by the choir committee of St John's Cath-  
edral and a most attractive programme will  
be provided. The artists include Mrs  
Lawson, Misses Chunyat, Laykun, King  
and Grove, Messrs G. P. Lammet, A.  
Cunningham, Armstrong, Hays, Coster,  
Terrill, E. and W. Hagen, J. Wilson and  
Sergt.-Inst. French, Sergt. Hunt, Band-  
men Thompson, Hughes and Green.

## Mr James Watt, Tientsin.

A London newspaper received by the  
German mail contains the following para-  
graph: - Mr Verburgh has given notice to  
ask the Secretary of State for War whether  
the Government have in any way acknow-  
ledged the service rendered by Mr James  
Watt, a British subject, who during the  
recent siege of Tientsin, rode from there to  
Taku, through a country swarming with  
Boxers, to convey information to Admiral  
Bruce as to the serious state of affairs then  
prevailing at Tientsin; and whether the  
German Government has decorated Mr  
Watt.

## A Missing Lieutenant.

At Home newspaper, dated 1st April,  
says: - For some days Second-Lieutenant  
Burkhardt, of the 3rd Battalion Royal  
Welsh Fusiliers, has been under arrest at  
Crownhill Barracks, Plymouth. He was  
to have been charged with stealing two £5  
notes, the property of the officers' mess,  
and it had been arranged that a general  
court-martial should try the case at Devon-  
port on Thursday. Placed in charge of  
escort towards the close of last week,  
Lieutenant Burkhardt was on Saturday  
morning visited by two female relatives,  
who subsequently saw his legal adviser with  
a view to preparing his defence. The  
prisoner was confined to a room in the  
officers' quarters at Crownhill Barracks,  
and sentries were posted outside the door  
and under the window, which was about  
40ft. from the ground. The discovery was  
made yesterday, however, that the accused  
officer was missing. Early in the morning  
he succeeded in some manner not yet ex-  
plained in eluding the vigilance of the  
couple of sentries told off to guard his room  
and getting away. Up to a late hour last  
night no trace had been found of the  
Lieutenant. The civil police have been in-  
formed of the escape and provided with a  
description of Mr Burkhardt.

## The English Football Cup.

The success of the Tottenham Hotspur  
football team in the English Cup competi-  
tion will be welcomed by all who follow the  
'soccer' game. Since the rise of profes-  
sionalism, the English Cup has been re-  
garded as a certainty for northern teams;  
but the gallant but unsuccessful fight  
made by Southampton a couple of years  
ago and last season, when they reached  
the final with Bury, and the successful  
effort of Tottenham Hotspur this year,  
will go a long way to break down the  
prestige of the north, and will encourage  
other southern clubs to aspire to Cup hon-  
ours. The winners had a fine record in  
the preliminary ties of the final stage of  
the competition. They defeated Preston North  
End severely, Bury (the holders) by 2 goals  
to 1, Reading by 3 to 1 (after a drawn game),  
and West Bromwich Albion, and now Shef-  
field United. Their victims thus included  
four First League teams and former Cup  
holders. The game must have been most  
exciting, for the Sheffield United, are  
noted cup fighters. In the final stage,  
they defeated Sunderland, 1-0, at Sunder-  
land; Everton, 2-0, at Wolverhampton; and  
Aston Villa (last year's League champions) - a  
splendid record, indeed.

VESSELS AT THE DOCKS. - At Kowloon -  
U.S.S. Bennington, Lug Ting, Hang-  
chow, Pinguey, Compania de Filipinas,  
Suz, Kwangyung, Burende, Argon, Kaiyong,  
Achenan, Hongkong, Zaire, Centurion,  
Nanchang.  
At Canton - Colonies, Petriana,  
Aberdeen. - (None).

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

## A Dog Killer.

To-day, Lo Kum Fook, a house cooler,  
was, at the Magistracy, fined \$10, with  
the option of fourteen days' imprisonment,  
for cruelly killing two dogs, belonging to Hon.  
E. R. Balfour, by beating them to death.

## Assault with a Bottle.

To-day, at the Magistracy, Ernest Bolt,  
a German engineer, was fined \$20, with the  
alternative of imprisonment for a month,  
for having assaulted a Chinese constable  
by striking him on the forehead with a  
bottle.

## Share List.

The following alterations in our share  
list are noted after the hour of correction:  
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, 384 1/2  
prem. = \$905, buyers; London, £82. 15s.;  
Hk. and Whampoa Dock, \$305, buyers;  
Hk. Hotel, \$126, sales; Green Island,  
\$185, buyers; and Hk. Ice, \$170, buyers.

## Indian Troops to Return to India.

We learn, on high authority, that it is  
contemplated by the military authorities,  
so soon as transports can be procured, to  
return to India a large portion of the China  
Expeditionary Force at present in the  
North of China. The Bikanir regiment  
and the Ulwa battalion, which have seen  
continuous service since last fall between  
Peking and Tientsin and other stations in  
the disturbed neighbourhood, are first on  
the list for the return journey. This news  
bears out a recent home telegram and points  
to the conclusion that hostilities are fast  
approaching an end, and that there is now  
no further need for so large a force of men  
in the north part of China.

## Imperial Cables.

The Parliamentary Committee on Im-  
perial Cable Communication met on 29th  
March, forty members being present. Sir  
E. Sassoon was re-elected Chairman, and  
Mr Remnant, Honorary Secretary. The  
Chairman gave a short summary of the  
achievements of the past year, while, at  
the same time, referring to the difficulties  
which have occurred in connection with the  
Indian route. The rates to Australia, the  
Chairman pointed out, have been reduced  
from four shillings and ninepence to three  
shillings and sixpence a word, and to  
South Africa from five shillings to four  
shillings; and he expressed the hope that  
before long the American and Canadian  
rates would be lowered to sixpence a word.  
It was decided to ask the Colonial Secretary  
to receive a Deputation after Easter in  
connection with the West African rates.  
Resolutions were passed pointing out the  
necessity of inserting State-purchase Clauses  
in all future Cable contracts, and the im-  
portance of prohibiting pooling arrangements  
between the Pacific Cable and private  
Companies.

## Concert at Kowloon.

Friends from the Torpedo Depot made  
themselves responsible for the programme  
at the Sailors' Institute, Elgin Road, Kow-  
loon, on Tuesday evening last, and a very  
pleasant evening was the result. There  
was a goodly gathering of sailors, soldiers,  
and other friends, who manifested their  
appreciation of the various items submitted  
to them in no uncertain way. The pro-  
gramme consisted of the following: - song  
'Queen of the Earth' by Mr Warder;  
song, 'Another Day' by Mrs Brand; song,  
'True, till death' by Mr Butler; Recita-  
tion, 'Look at the Clock' by Mr Allen;  
Duet, 'Larchard Watch,' Messrs Warder  
and Brand; song 'Rafferty's Pig,' by Mr  
Hooks, R.N.; 'Stump Oration,' by Mr  
Kissick, R.N.; song, 'The Holy City,' Mr  
Warder; song, 'Till for us,' Mrs Brand;  
song, 'When your hair grows whiter,  
mother,' by Mr Rogers; Recitation by Mr  
Allen, 'My first and last appearance,' and  
song, 'The Yaller Girl,' by Mr Hooks,  
R.N. The various items were as well  
rendered as they were well received, and  
a very hearty vote of thanks testified to  
the appreciation of the audience. - *Communi-  
cated.*

## Presentation to Mr T. H. Kingsley.

The N.C. Daily News of the 29th  
April says: - The superintendent of the  
Chinese Engineering & Mining Co., Mr T.  
H. Kingsley, was on Wednesday afternoon  
the recipient of a handsome token of  
esteem from the Captain, officers and  
engineers of the Company he has for a  
number of years so ably managed. The  
pleasant ceremony took place at Mr King-  
sley's residence, where Capt. Newman, re-  
presenting the officers of the bridge, and  
Mr Amott, the engineers, handed their  
chief a valuable silver punch bowl, and in  
doing so spoke of the great tact, kindness  
and consideration they had always expe-  
rienced from him. They wished him bon voyage,  
a happy home reunion, and assured  
him and his esteemed wife they would find  
a hearty welcome awaiting them on their  
return. The bowl, a beautiful specimen of  
Chinese handicraft, bore a shield on which  
was the following inscription: 'Presented to  
T. H. Kingsley, Esq., Superintendent,  
Chinese Engineering and Mining Company.  
From the Captains, Officers and Engineers  
as a token of their respect and regard on  
his going home. Hoping he may soon re-  
turn. 29th April, 1901.' Mr Kingsley,  
who showed considerable emotion, thanked  
his guests in a few appropriate words and  
a hearty handshake closed the event.

## TELEGRAMS.

## [REUTER'S SERVICE.]

## BRITISH SOUTH AFRICA.

LONDON, 29th April.

Twenty-five Colonials were surprised by  
400 Boers near Kromstad. Resistance  
was maintained for eight hours, during  
which time fourteen of the Colonials were  
killed, and the remainder wounded. Their  
ammunition becoming exhausted, they then  
surrendered.

The Boers have detailed an ambulance  
train south of Pretoria.

## THE MURDER OF THE SCIENTIST MENCKE.

The German Emperor has ordered the  
cruiser *Hansa* to leave the China Station,  
and to proceed to the scene of the murder  
of the German scientist Mencke to exact  
reparation.

## BRITISH SOUTH AFRICA.

Kitchener's Scouts surprised Commandant  
Vourensburg's laager to the north of  
Petersburg. Seven Boers were killed and  
41 taken prisoners. 38,500 rounds of am-  
munition, also all the wagons and animals,  
were captured.

## SALE OF THE LEYLAND LINE OF STEAMERS.

Mr Pierpont Morgan has bought the  
Leyland Line's fleet of steamers. It is  
stated that further purchases are contem-  
plated with a view to a shipping combina-  
tion.

## CHINA.

Viscount Cranbourne states that no re-  
duction of the garrison at Shanghai will be  
made for the present.

It is contemplated that some British  
troops may be withdrawn from Tientsin  
and Wei-hai-wei.

## THE STRANDED 'SOBRAON'.

## Efforts to Raise Her.

To-day's news regarding the stranded  
homeward-bound P. and O. mail steamer  
*Sobraon* is very important, and shows that  
an immediate effort is to be made to lift her  
clear of the rocks at Tung-Yung. As  
shown by the following telegrams,  
courteously supplied to us by Mr H. A.  
Ritchie, Superintendent of the P. and O.  
Company, there are to be four men-of-war  
engaged in the work of raising and salving  
her.

## Captain Goddard's Message.

The following is the substance of a tele-  
gram received from Captain Goddard late  
last evening: - *Cornwall* arrived with  
pumps and divers (MacKenzie in charge of  
pumps and gear). After consultation Cap-  
tains of H.M.S. *Humber*, H.M.S. *Daphne*  
and s.s. *Cornwall* decided attempt raise  
steamer. All silk, baggage, and parcels  
proceeding *hence*. Weather favourable.  
The China Merchants S. N. Company  
state that the *Irene* is proceeding to Hong-  
kong.

## What the Naval Authorities are Doing.

Commanders F. Powell, R.N., also re-  
ceived a telegram from H.M.S. *Daphne* at  
Sharp Peak to the following effect: - *Hum-  
ber* arrived, required for some time, when  
*Sobraon* is lightened cargo coal and pumped  
out, with assistance of two cruisers, there is  
a chance of saving her.  
In consequence of this telegram, H.M.S.  
*Humbly* was detached to Tung-Yung at  
full speed this morning, and H.M.S. *Bluenose*,  
which is proceeding to Woussung, has  
also received instructions to call at Tung-  
Yung.

## A Royal Boxer.

Probably few people are aware that the  
Duke of York is an adept with the gloves.  
He was taught boxing when still a midship-  
man by a member of the crew of the 'Bac-  
chante,' afterwards well-known in the  
boxing world as Harry Feltham. Feltham  
taught both the Royal brothers, and since  
those far-off days he has often held forth  
to an admiring audience concerning the  
remarkable aptitude of the younger of the  
two princes. Prince George - as he then  
was - thoroughly enjoyed putting on the  
'mitts,' and he never forgot his old friend.  
Indeed, the very last time the worthy  
Feltham and His Royal Highness met face  
to face, the Prince - as Feltham has since  
delighted to tell - turned round and with a  
smile shook his 'duke' (long term for  
hand) at him in an affable manner!

## WEATHER REPORT.

The following notice is issued from the  
Observatory: -

On the 1st at 12.2 p.m. The barometer  
has fallen on the China coast owing to a  
depression which seems to be moving East-  
wards along the Yangtze valley. Gradients  
slight to moderate for S. winds on the  
China coast. Forecast: - moderate to fresh  
S. and S.W. winds; fair.

After you had succeeded in swallow-  
ing say one pint of nasty nauseating  
Cod Liver Oil, what proportion of the  
pint did you imagine had accomplish-  
ed the work for which you swallowed it?  
It would doubtless surprise you to know  
that the whole of that pint really contained  
less than one-eighth of a teaspoonful of  
actual medicine, and that the balance, after  
upsetting your digestion, had been expell-  
ed in its entirety.

In Stearns' Wine of Cod Liver Oil  
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the really medicinal part of Cod Liver Oil  
and give it to you dissolved in a tasty,  
delicious dinner-wine, without the nauseat-  
ing, fatty oil.  
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prescribe Stearns' Wine of Cod Liver Oil  
will tell you about it, or a real bottle  
will demonstrate its real value to your case.  
Wholesale from A. S. Watson & Co., Ltd.

## BROUGH COMEDY COMPANY.

## [From Our Own Correspondent.]

## CANTON NOTES.

Canton, April 30.

A Pledgement of great importance and  
of uncommon interest, as showing the pre-  
scent trend of affairs, has just been issued  
in the name of the Viceroy, the Governor,  
and the Tartar General. It is carried out,  
and there is every reason to believe that  
it will be, then the first step has been taken  
to break down the hitherto impassable  
barrier that has separated the Chinese pro-  
prietors from the Manchus. The latter, as the  
conquerors and ruling race, have never  
failed to impress that fact on the minds of  
those over whom they ruled. Besides  
omnibus, special privileges have belong-  
ed to the Manchus. Hitherto their part of  
the city has been considered sacred, and no  
police officer was allowed to pass its bound-  
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law. Stolen goods could be and were stored  
in the Manchus quarter of the city with  
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## Intimations.

## ZETLAND LODGE.

No. 525, E.C.

A REGULAR MEETING of the above LODGE will be held at FREEMASON'S HALL, Zetland Street, THIS EVENING, the 1st May, at 8.30 for 9 p.m., precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited.

Hongkong, May 1, 1901. 939

## NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE WANCHAI WAREHOUSE AND STORAGE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the above Company will be held at the Office of the Undersigned, No. 5, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, on THURSDAY, the 2nd May, 1901, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing a Consulting Committee.

MEYER &amp; Co., General Managers. Hongkong, April 24, 1901. 904

## THE KWONG HIP LUNG COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the ANNUAL ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Company's Office, No. 64, Des Voeux Road, on MONDAY, the 15th day of May, 1901, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with the Statement of Accounts for the 25th year of Kwong Hip.

THE REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from 29th April to the 1st May, during which period no Transfer of Shares can be Registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors, CHAN WAN CHI, General Manager. Hongkong, April 29, 1901. 910

## MINERAL ASSAYS &amp; ANALYSES.

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## Intimations.

## NOTICE.

THE whole STOCK in TRADE FURNITURE and FIXTURES of the CHIK SHING FOREIGN MATTING FIRM, and its STOREHOUSES in various places in Canton, have been TRANSFERRED to the HING LUNG TONG. Since the 4th day of February, 1901, advertisements have been published. Now the Transfer has been completed. In case the CHIK SHING should owe any Debts they are to be settled by the Old Party, and have nothing to do with the New Party the HING LUNG TONG. This is to specially notify in order to prevent disputes in future.

HING LUNG, Matting Firm, Canton. Canton, April 30, 1901. 945

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Plans and Specifications of the same can be seen.

TUNG TAI &amp; CO., Engineers and Shipbuilders, &amp;c., 23, Praya East, Wanchai. Hongkong, April 16, 1901. 855a

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DIVISION OF THE PHILIPPINES.

SEALED PROPOSALS for CONSTRUCTION of a HARBOUR at MANILA, P. I., will be received at this Office until 11 o'clock a.m., August 1st, 1901, and then Publicly Opened.

Work to be done includes about 150,000 cubic yards rip-rap, 21,000 cubic yards concrete, and rubble masonry in Breakwaters about 3,000,000 cubic yards of dredging and a pile bulkhead 4,700 feet long.

Dredging in mud, sand and shells to a depth of 30 feet.

Dredged material to be used for reclaiming land.

Bids must be accompanied by a Bond, of One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000) Gold.

One Contract will be made for the whole Work.

Contractor's Bond will be 10% of the amount bid.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

For specifications and blank forms apply to this Office, Bureau of Insular Affairs, Washington, D. C., U. S. Engineer Offices at New York, Chicago, and San Francisco.

JOHN BIDDLE, Captain Engineers.

Manila, P. I., March 1, 1901. 543

## BANQUE DE L'INDO-CHINE.

WHEREAS the number of un-issued Notes have been STOLEN from the Premises of the Banque de l'Indo-Chine, and which said Notes are expressed on the face thereof to be Payable at the Branch Office of the said Banque in Saigon, the numbers of which said Notes are as follows:—

Serie V 49 1 to 1,000 of \$1 (One Dollar) each.

Serie Z 49 1 to 1,000 of \$1 (One Dollar) each.

The Public are hereby CAUTIONED against purchasing or dealing in any way with such Notes, as the Banque de l'Indo-Chine accepts no liability for the same.

By order of the Chief Manager in Saigon, FOURTIE BANQUE DE L'INDO-CHINE, L. BERINDOAGUE, Acting Manager.

Hongkong, February 26, 1901. 445

## Kinghorn &amp; Macdonald,

Consulting Mechanical Engineers and Surveyors.

CONTRACTORS FOR THE SUPPLY OF ALL KINDS OF MACHINERY AND APPLIANCES.

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MESSRS. KINGHORN AND MACDONALD having been appointed SOLE AGENTS for Messrs. J. and E. LIAI'S PATENT REFRIGERATING MACHINERY, are prepared to supply Estimates, Plans and Specifications for all sizes of Machines.

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## NOTICE.

TO AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHERS.

## MEE CHEUNG

DEGS to notify my many Customers that in order to meet the demands of AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHERS he will accept a NEW DEPARTMENT at 2nd April, 1901, which will be devoted exclusively to their interests. Two skilled operators in constant attendance.

Developing and Printing in all Branches executed with care and promptness.

Enlarging from small negatives a specialty.

Hand Cameras refilled.

All kinds of repairs to apparatus undertaken.

Prices very Moderate.

OFFICE in Corridor of Hongkong Hotel, where there are 2 Dark Rooms always at the disposal of Patrons Free of Cost.

Hongkong, April 1, 1901. 784

## Notices to Consignees.

FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship *SENGVIA*, Captain F. K. K. K., having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send their bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 10 a.m. Monday, the 29th instant.

Any Cargo impeding the discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WAREHOUSE AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED, and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 3rd May will be subject to rent.

All Broken, Clashed, and Damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 3rd May, at 3 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINE, Hongkong Office.

Hongkong, April 29, 1901. 928

## INDRA LINE OF STEAMERS.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S.S. INDRANI.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo on S.S. *Indrani* from New York are hereby notified that their cargo transhipped at Singapore to the S.S. *Indrani* has now arrived, and is being landed and placed at their risk in the HONGKONG & KOWLOON WAREHOUSE & GODOWN CO.'S Godowns at Kowloon.

Consignees are requested to immediately send in the undersigned original Bills of Lading, in exchange for which they will receive local Bills of Lading on which delivery can be obtained.

JARDINE, MATHESON &amp; CO., Agents.

Hongkong, April 27, 1901. 930

## NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP *GLENSHIEL*.

FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YOKO HAMA, KOBE AND MOI.

THE above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

DODWELL &amp; Co., Ltd., Agents.

Hongkong, April 26, 1901. 913

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMER *TIENSTIN*.

FROM BOMBAY AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WAREHOUSE & GODOWN COMPANY'S Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark, and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

Goods not cleared by the 5th Prox., at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever.

All Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns, and a certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company within ten days after the vessel's arrival on the face thereof to be Payable at the Branch Office of the said Banque in Saigon, the numbers of which said Notes are as follows:—

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By order of the Chief Manager in Saigon, FOURTIE BANQUE DE L'INDO-CHINE, L. BERINDOAGUE, Acting Manager.

Hongkong, April 29, 1901. 935

## ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE Attention of Advertisers is drawn to the Latest Hours for receiving Advertisements and Corrections to Advertisements.

Alterations and additions to Advertisements on Pages 1 and 4, should be sent to this Office not later than 10 a.m. New Advertisements should be sent in before 3 p.m.

BAIN &amp; REID.

"CHINA MAIL" Office, Dec. 1900.

## TALES of a TRAVELLER.

So Astounding that did not the author vouch for their Veracity, they would not be believed in.

by

Harry de Windt

(Author of 'On the Equator,' 'From Peking to Cuba by Land,' 'A Ride to India,' 'Siberia as it is,' 'Through the Gold Fields of Alaska,' 'To Behring Straits, &amp;c., &amp;c.)

2nd to 8th May.

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## LAUNCH OF THE NEW PACIFIC MAIL LINER.

Washington and San Francisco cables describe the launch at Newport News of the Pacific Mail Company's great steamer the *Korea*, for the San Francisco and Japan and China trade.

A Washington cable of March 23 says:—The steamer *Korea*, which was launched today at the Newport News Shipbuilding Company's works, bears the distinction of being, up to date, the largest steam vessel ever built on this side of the Atlantic—therefore the largest built in the United States. With a length of 572 feet 4 inches and a beam of 63 feet, she will displace 18,400 tons on a draft of 17 feet.

Some idea of the size of the *Korea* may be derived from the fact that from the top of the hull to the bottom of the hull is a distance of forty feet, while the distance around her hull is nearly a quarter of a mile. She is to be fitted with engines of 18,000 horsepower, sufficient to propel her at a speed of from 16 to 20 knots. The *Korea* will accommodate 1,400 passengers, of whom 200 will be first-class cabin passengers. She is designed for the Pacific Mail Steamship Company, to ply between San Francisco and Hongkong.

A San Francisco cable of March 24 says:—When completed, the new Pacific Mail steamer, *Korea*, will be the largest and the most magnificent steamer that ever sailed the Pacific. Indeed, there are only three or four of the great Atlantic liners that surpass her in speed, dimensions, or appointments.

The *Korea* will be placed on the run between this city and China about January 1, 1902, and is expected to greatly reduce the sailing time to the Orient. Some time next year the Pacific Mail fleet will be still further augmented by the addition of the *Siberia*, new building at Newport News and which is in every way a counterpart of her splendid sister, the *Korea*.

Each of these new liners will have to attain a speed of eighteen knots an hour to comply with the contract, but the builders are confident that the new vessels will be able to out-run the water at a rate not less than twenty-two knots.

The *Korea* will have accommodation for 2,000 first-class passengers, 1,200 staterooms, and 100 European steerage. There will be room on board for officers and crew to the number of 225, including ninety-three firemen and 100 American shipbuilders. The Atlantic steamers that excel her in size were all built across the water. She has a gross tonnage of 12,000 tons and a displacement of 18,000 tons. She measures 572 feet over all, is sixty-three feet beam and has a depth of forty feet.

In her hold she has a cargo capacity of 500,000 cubic feet.

The interior appointments of the *Korea* will make her one of the most luxurious of the great liners. The highest class of service on the trans-Pacific route will be furnished in a manner that would do credit to the finest hotel in the world and the other cabins for the first-class passengers will be only a little less expensively equipped. Two main stairways of mahogany lead to the dining saloon, a spacious handsome apartment with a dome extending through the promenade and boat decks. Nearly one hundred persons can be seated at one time in this room.

There is a smoking room to be finished in polished cherry and a music room that will be finished in some handsome hard wood. The grand stairway leading to the special hall is to be of bronze.

The *Korea* will be equipped with electric refrigerating plants, a machine shop and every other convenience that can be provided on board a ship. Her propelling machinery consist of two sets of vertical cylinders, direct acting, quadruple expansion engines, each set a separate water-tight compartment. The vessel is built of steel, with the decks of oak. It has required over two years to build the *Korea*, and the cost to her owners will be about \$2,500,000 (\$2,400,000).

SOFT, FAIR, DELICATE SKIN. A clear and healthy complexion produced by using ROYAL'S KATZOS, the most soothing, healing, curative and refreshing preparation, and warranted harmless to the most delicate skin. It prevents and removes Eczema, Tan, Stagnation, Itchiness, Heat, Outbreaks, Eruptions, Irritation, Stings of Insects, Eczema, Burns, imparts a luscious beauty to the complexion, softens the skin, and keeps it in perfect health, unobtainable by any other means. Ask Stores and Chemists for ROYAL'S KATZOS, and avoid poisonous imitations. 3a

SPRAINS! SPRAINS! SPRAINS! If possible to treat the Sprain within an hour after it is received, or before inflammation has set in, bandage the parts and keep the lounge saturated with Chamberlain's Pain Balm, but after the parts have become inflamed and swollen, no bandage should be used, only a loose dry bandage of cotton cloth, and the parts bathed with Chamberlain's Pain Balm, without rubbing.

Prices 50 cts. and \$1.00.

For sale by All Dealers. WATKINS & Co., General Agents.

## Hongkong Tides.

The Tide Table given below has been compiled by the Nautical Almanac Office in London from the result of the analysis of observations taken by means of an automatic tide-recording machine in the Water Police Basin at Tsim Sha Tsui during the years 1887-8-9.

This set of the table in Low Water. Ordinary Spring Tides have been found to be 2 feet below mean sea level.

To obtain the depth of water on the tide stage at the Victoria Naval Yard add 5 ft. 7 in., and on the gauge at Lamont Dock, Aberdeen, add 12 ft. 4 in. to the height given in the table.

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